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DMUND R. HOLMES, Importer, Stag Hotel Stores. ember 16, 1867.

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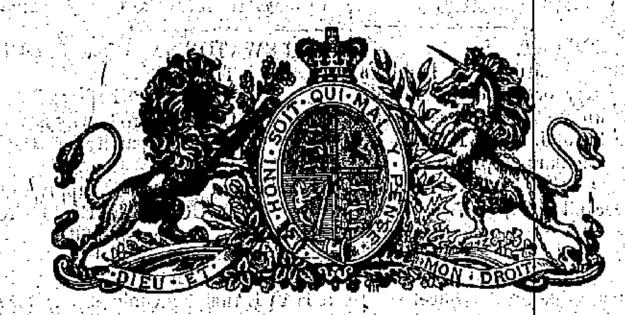
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OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS. It is hereby notified that, until further orders, the China Mail and Overland China Mail will be the official mediums of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britan nie Majesty's Consulate at Canton. British Consulate, Canton, April 16, 1866 D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul.

It is hereby notified that, until further orders, the China Mail and Overland Uhina Mail will be the official mediums of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britan-nic Majesty's Consulate at Amoy. Britisli Consulate, Amoy, April 22, 1866. R. SWINHOE, Consul

New Advertisements. FOR NACASAKI. With quick despotch. The Prussian Steam-ship. "VULCAN," Cantain Voss.

For Freight or Passage, Season EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo per French Bk. J. "JACQUES & MARIE," from Yokohama, are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co., Agents for Jucques and Marie. Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, coased on the 31st day of December, 1867. A. FERGÚSON & Co. Hongkong, January 3, 1868,

NOTICE. HE Business of the Undersigned will be carried on at Peddar's Hill, Mr EDMUND R. HOLMES having retired from the same.

GEO. HOLMES, Ship and General Broker.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. JOTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr C. Jameson in our Firm ceased on the 30th Seutember last.

The Business will in future be carried on y Mr L. BARTON under the Name or Style of Jameson & Barton, as heretofore. JAMESON & BARTON. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been Madmitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE! S iny Engagement ceases in May next, all outstanding Accounts for the past Two Years must be sent in immediately for

MARY HASTELOW RANDLE, Superintendent. Diocesan School. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

CJINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to Furnish the Unidersigned with a list of Premia contributed by them up to the 31st ctober last, to afford the distribution of the 25 % Profit reserved for the Contributors to the Company. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

BRITISH CONSULAR NOTIFICATIO In the Estate of RUBERT CONWAY, deceased late Pilot, Double Island, Swatow.

LU Persons having CLAIMS against the above Estate, are required to FILE them at this Cousulate, on or before the 1st day of March, 1868. And all Persons INDEBTED to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned. G. W. CAINE,

H. B. M.'s Consul. Swatow, December 27, 1867.

Hongkong Lightering and Storage Co. HE above Company is now prepared to LIND or SHIP Cargo in first class Lighters, and to take the entire discharge of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE Goods in first, class Granite Godowns at

J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.,

New Advertisements.

ARMY SERVICE.—BUILDINGS. CEALED TENDERS will be received at this Office until Noon, on TUESDAY, containing three or more Rooms each, suitable for Officers' Quarters! The Premises must be in a healthy situation, and in good

repair.
The Owner to be responsible for all Rates REDMOND UNIACKE Deputy Com. Gen.

Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hougkong, January 1, 1868. I HE Undersigned has just received; by Steamer Suwonada, a few SHEEP ready dressed and for Sale in quarter.

J. FRISBY. 33, Praya,

Hongkong, December 31, 1867. Just landed ex Mail Steamer, the following ARTICLES suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, &c.

TEAM Engine Perfume DISPENSER Perfumed FLOWERS. Magic BOQUET. Musical PERFUME. Faucy Toilet BOTTLES and PERFUME Peculiar and New PERFUMES.

YLANG YLANG. Hungarian Ash Scent CASE. Toilet BOTTLES in Leather, Tortoise Shell and Pearl Cases. Perfume FOUN LAINS. Rose WATER CRACKERS. And various other NOVELTIES of the

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY Hongkong, December 16, 1867. RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER AND SHIP "EUGENE & ADELE."

Direct from Marseilles. LARGE and varied assortment of French BONBONS in bottles, suitable for Christmas Presents. CHAMPAGNE.

CLARETS. Breakfast CLARETS: ments Described OLAR CTS SAUTERNE. VERMOUTH. ABSINTHE. SHERRY. BRANDY.

French PRESERVES. MACARONI and VERMICELLI. French VINEGAR.

Salad OIL Spanish and French OLIVES MARASCHINO, SYRUPS. Loaf & Crushed SUGARS.

Patent Desiccated MILK G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

MULLER & CLAUSSEN DEG to invite the attention of the Public

D to their New and well selected Stock of FANCY AND OTHER CLOTHS. FOR THIS BEABON.

which they have just received from England, and which are suitable either for SUITS, FROCK, MORNING AND SHOOTING-COATS,

OVERCOATS & YACHTING JACKETS. Being provided with an EXPERIENCED CUTTER

in every branch of the Trade, in constant communication with some of the most fashionable houses in London and Paris, they are now well prepared to execute all orders, connected with flis DEPARTMENT, WITH PUNCTUALITY AND DISPATCH.

NAVAL AND MILITARY UNIFORMS, Burrows & Sons, Wanchai-LADIES' RIDING HABITS. (After the newest and most graceful designs.) A Stock of last Season's

READY-MADE CLUTHES. selling off at a reduction of 25 per cent. on riginal prices. FOR STYLE, ECONOMY, AND PERFECT FITTING, MULLER AND CLAUSSEN,

Queen's Road. Hongkong, 28th December, 1867. MULLER & CLAUSSEN DEG to announce the arrival from Eng-Dand of their New Stock of FANCY

GUODS, consisting of-GENTS Silk and Wool, Flannel, and Long Cloth SHIRTS. Silk, Cotton, Merino and Lambswool DRAWERS and UNDERSHIRTS. Silk, Cotton, Merino and Lambawool

LADIES' Cotton and Merino STOCK. GENTS' COLLARS, in all the newest DENT'S Town made KID GLOVES.

DENT'S Buck and Doeskin DRIVING CHRISTY'S Paris Silk and Drab FELT. HATS, FANCY SCARFS, TIES, CAM-BRIO HANDKERCHIEFS, BRACES, OMBRELLAS, CHOLERA BELTS, DAYSON'S BOOTS and SHOES, PER-FUMERY, FANCY SOAPS, BRUSHES,

And every article requisite for the TOILETTE. WALKING STICKS & CANES in great variety. Hongkong, December 28, 1867.

New Advertisements.

PER MAIL STEAMER. Suitable for Christmas Presents. SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of Meerschaum PIPES, with and without Cherrywood Stems. Cigar HOLDERS. ALBUMS

Real Havana CIGARS. BIELFELD and ZACHARIAE. Hougkong, December 20, 1867.

PER MAIL STEAMER. OB NUTS and FILBERTS. Handsomely bound BOOKS, Manager, suitable for Christmas and New

Year Gifts. Also, Per every Meil. Prime Cheshire CHEESE in cut to suit Purchasers.

YORK HAMS. BOWRA & Co.

Hongkong, December 17, 1867. 17ja **RTAUTICAL ALMANACS** for Marryatt's new SIGNAL BOOKS,

up to 4th Dis. Pendant. BOWRA & Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1867. 17is

JUST RECEIVED FROM CROSSE & BLACKWELL. MRISTMAS CARES, Iced and Plain. U PĽUM PUDDÍNGŠ MINCEMEAT. BONBONS.

FRUITS in Syrup, Brandy and Noyeau. Orystallized FRUITS. ALMOND 1 and RAISINS. PLUMS and CURRANTS. Mixed SPICES, &c., &c., &c.

Moet and Chandon's CHAMPAGNE. Guinness STOUT. Allsopp's and Bass BEER, &c., &c. Hongkong, December 14, 1867.

EX"RED RIDING HOOD."

TINE French BUTTER.

DE EUROPE.

Copal VARNISH. French POLISH, &c., &c. Hongkong, December 14, 1007. TARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT.

Hollywood Road, next door to the HOTEL

Hongkong, May I, 1867. Auctions.

I OWRA & Co. have received instruct throughout the world. tions to sell by Public Auction, on the Premises, Gough Street, on

MONDAY, 6th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M. The Elegant HOUSEHOLD FUR-NITURE, etc., belonging to the Estate of the late Cantain Jameson, comprising: Drawing Room, Sitting Room, Dining Room and Bed Room Suites, Crockery Ware, Glassware, Engravings, etc., etc.,

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots at purchaser's risk upon fall of

the hammer. Catalogues will be issued prior to day Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have been instructed by Captain Pierce, of American ship Southern Eagle, to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY NEXT the 4th January, 1868, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the Godowns of Messrs S. E. A quantity of Anthracite COAL, to defray expenses for repairs, &c., made upon said ship at this port.

TERMS OF SALE - Cash in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7, and immediate delivery to be taken. THOS. HUNT & Co., Auctroneers.Hongkong, December 28, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received instructions from Captain WEST, to sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY.

the 6th January, at Noon, (For account of the concerned, ON BOARD, The Hull of the British Ship "GOETHE."

As she now lies in this Harbour off West Point, with one Chain and Anchor and Mizen Mast, in one Lot. The Sails, Rigging, Ships, Stores, Hawsers, &c., to be disposed of sepa-

For Inventory or further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on fall of the hammer in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7, and the vessel and all lots to be at Purchaser's risk. THOS. HUNT & Co.

Hongkong, December 28, 1867. 6ja

Auctioneers.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA. NCORFORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, CAPITAL PAID-UP £750,000. With power to increase to £1;500,000. Reserve Fund, £145,902.14.8

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JAMES JOSEPH MACKENZIE, Esq., late of Messrs Dent & Co., China. Branches and Agencies. Calcutta. Madras. Colombo. Ceylon ( Kandy. Galle. Singapore. Penang. Yokohama. Hankow.

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Foochow.

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CHARLES PEARSON, Esq., c.A.—Agent. HONGKONG BRANCH. Current deposits. - Accounts are kept on which no interest is allowed and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c. Fixed deposits.—Are received, viz: Repayable at 12 months ..... 6% per annum. .....5% per annum The Bank discounts Local Bills, and

Notes payable in Hongkong having at least partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities. The Bank issues drafts on its London. Office, and on the London Joint Stock

Bank at four months' sight, also on its Branches above; and Agents in Scotland, Ireland, Melbourne, Sydney, and towns in Australia, New Zealand, &c., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all towns of importance Bills, payable in Europe or in any of the

above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection. Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office. on application by letter to the manager. Office hours:—10 to 3, Saturdays 10 to 1. WILLIAM JACKSON, Manager. 2, Queen's Road, February 27, 1867. tf

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. Subscribed Capital, Five Millions of COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman, George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman—ARTHUR SASSOON, Esq. W. H. FOSTER, JR., JAMES B. TAYLOR, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN.

Hongkong, Chief Manager. DAVID MACLEAN, Enq. HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

N. Current Deposit Accounts at the rate On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.

4 per cent. 5 per cent. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India Australia, America, China and Japan

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, No, 1, Queen's Road, Hongkong, January 1, 1868. AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

VICTOR KRESSER

NOTICE. N and after this date all Persons having CLAIMS against the Bank are requested to transmit the same to A. McCat-MAN, Esq., of the AGRA BANK LIMITED. For Agra and Masterhan's Bank-Lt-

EDWARD MORRISS, Attorney.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 Hamburg Barque MATFIELD, Master, 375 Tons or Tow them to or from Sea. Register, will lead at Whani-

Hongkong, January 2, 1869,

Hongkong, November 8, 1867.

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, and Australia.

HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship ORISSA," Captain HALL, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, m WEDNESDAY, 10th January, at 2 P.M. CARGO will be received on board until P.M on the 14th Instant; SPECIE until Noon on the 15th instant, and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 14th Instant. For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrectness in such declaration. Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.



HE Company's Steamer

hai and Yokohama, shortly after the arr val of the next French Mail. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY. THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. CITEAMERS of this line will leave Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco ıs follows :—

Great Republic, on or about Jan. 14. Capt, DOANE, China, Captain Feb 24. - Ѕмітн, ...... Colorado, Capt. Mar. 16. Great Republic,

Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall.

> various lines to Europe. Tickets issued Consignees. for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. HIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, For particulars, apply to the Captain on take immediate delivery of their goods. pua for the above Port, and has room for a board, or to the Office of the Company,

Hongkong, October 13, 1866,

Steam Tugs.

NOTICE. UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-KONG AND WHAMPOA; have STEAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN." ATHIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea. Hold For Particulars, apply to the Captain on

Board : or to J. B. ENDICOTT

Hongkong, October 12, 1865. Shipping.

FOR SAIGON. The 13 years A 1 French barque will sail for the above port on the 8th January; and

The A1 North German Brig on the 15th January, 1868. For Freight or Passage, apply to

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, December 30, 1867. FOR SAIGON. The A 1 Danish Clipper-barque ''' JOHANNA MĀRIA. Captain Schutt, will be despatched for the above port on or before the 24th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

Hongkong, December 16, 1867. FOR MANILA. The Spanish Barque "VIRGEN DEL CARMEN" will have quick despatch.

For Freight or Passage, ap-AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. FOR MANILA

will have quick dispatch for the above por For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hongkoug, December 26, 1867.

The A 1 Spanish barque:

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A.1 American Clipper A PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY OF GIBBON, Master, 999 Tona

For Freight or Passage, apply to OSMAN & Co. Hongkong, December 13, 1867 FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. "JOSHUA BATES,"

Capt. Sydserff, will have im-

Register, will load for the

mediate despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

The A 1 British Ship "ART UNION." now loading at Whampoa for London, has good accommodation for a few first-class Passengers. .Apply to

NOTICE.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 23, 1867. FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 Pruss. Clipper-brig GREEN Master, built of Oak in

1865, under Special Survey.

She carries about 250 Tons Deadyreight. CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, December 24, 1867. Nº tices to Consignees.

CONSIGNEES of A. B. R., 275 Barrels. J. L. A., 18 packages Merchandize, ex "SURPRISE," from New York, are hereby informed that the above mentioned Goods have been landed and stored in our

Hougkong, December 30, 1867. ONSIGNEES of 2 bags BICHE-DE-MER.

SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

shipped by Sun Kum Sev On, per "MA-DONE," from Sydney, are informed that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense, by REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

ONSIGNEES of J G & F 743/67, 25 cases Vermouth. shipped by G. Courand per Eugene and Adele, from Marseilles, are hereby inform-

Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

now lying at their risk and expense in the Godowns of the Undersigned. LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

ed that the same have been landed and are

"VIRGEN DEL CARMEN," FROM MANILA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel, will please send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at the risk and

expense of the Consignees. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

Capt. Nort, will be despatched for Shang-Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

Capt. DOANE ; , , Apr. 16. Costa Rica will leave Shanghai Jan. 15th Feb. 25th, Mar. 17th, April 17th, connecting at Yokohama with above named Stea-

Return tickets issued at a reduction LONDON BANKERS.—London and County | 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with of I per cent. per annum on the daily the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the Godowns at the expense and risk of the

Co., and North German Lloyds.

and St. Nazaire, France, For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, November 28, 1867.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P.

OLYPHANT & Co.

pos for the above Port, and has room for it bosin, limited amount of Cargo, for which, apply d'Aguillar Street, Hongkong.

JOHN S.-LAPRAIK,

NONSIGNEES of the undermentioned Goods, consigned to Order, are hereby informed that the same have been landed and stored in the Godowns of the Undersigned at Consignees risk and expense.

Ex "Gresham," from London. C. M. B., I case Merchandise.

Ex "Charlotte," from London .-W. (in diamond) 1/10, 10 cases Merchandise, shipped by H. C. McDonald. R. G. M. (in triangle) U. B. 15/25, 11 cases Merchandise, shipped by Crosse &

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 27, 1867.

BRITISH SHIP "THE TWEED," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, December 23, 1867.

MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES CO. THE TAX TO THE !! THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take im-

mediate delivery :-Ex Alphee, 7th September. H M & Co. 1. ... 1 case Sundries, Ex Tufre, 5th December. I basket Feathers.

O BERTRAND Principal Agent Hongkong, December 19, 1867.

Actices of Firms.

NOTICE. MESSRS. H. P. M. WACHTELS and H. ALPHE URTMANS ceased to be Partners in our Firm since the 31st December

GAYMANS & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1868. NOTICE.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr W. A. STURKOCK in our Firm ceased yesterday by lapse of time.

Amoy, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE. ATE have authorized Mr CLAUB BUDDE V to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

Y Business, as Ship and Insurance 111 Broker, Comprission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. Hook, Son & Co.-J. S. HOOK:

Hongkong, September 23, 1807.

OTICE is hereby given that the Interest LA and Responsibility of Mr Grond FALCONER as Administrator of the Estate and Effects of John Francis FAWCETT. deceased in the Business of a Shir Chandler and General Store Keeper lately carried on by the said John Francis FAWCETT at Victoria, Hongkong, ceased on the first day of January last, and that Mr. James William Pearce has purchased the said Business and will in future carry on the same under the Style or Firm of Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can be Fawcett & Co." Dated the first day of January, 1867.

Administrator of the Estate and Effects JOHN FRANCIS FAWCETT, deceased. J. W. PEARCE.

NOTICE. HE Partnership hitherto existing be tween Dorindo do Rozario, Alexan DRE MARCAL, JE, and Antonio dos Santos in the Printing Office at Foochow, was dissolved on the 12th November, 1867. RUZARIO & Co. Foochow, November 16, 1867.

TITH reference to the above, the Busi-V ness hitherto carried on by Messra ROZARIO & Co. as Printers in Foochow. will be conducted by the Undersigned, who liave this day established themselves as Printers under the Firm of Rozanio, Man-

DORINDO DO ROZARIO. ALEXANDRE MARCAL, JR Foochow. November 16, 1807.

NOTICE. FROM and after this date Mr George F BOWMAN will act as AUENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at the

S. L. PHELPS. Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

JROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port.

Foochow, August I, 1867.

TITH reference to the above, the

business hitherto carried on H. J. Duing, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS. Chop  $Min_i$ :

Pagoda Anchorage

Foodhow, August 1, 1867

madi & moltz. General & Commission Agents.

MAGASAKI:

NOTICE. MHE interest and responsibility of Mr W. C. VAN Ookby in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1866.

Hongkorig, November 19, 1887.

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the Government. style or firm of Van Conur & Co. W. C. VAN OURDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. MAR. WILLIAM JEX STERRY was ad-Wi mitted a Partner in our flouse from the Fifteenth day of November, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-six, and will sign the Firm.

SAYLE & Co. Victoria Exchange, Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

NOTICE... THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866. A. FERGUSON & Co.

F HE Business will be henceforth carried on under the same Name by the Un-A. D. MITCHELL,

J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FEHRS. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68

NOTICE. IR RYLE HOLME has been admitted i a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

HE Liquidation of our Firm being now finished, our office on the Praya is closed this day. Letters will be received at Mesers ADAM SCOTT & Co.'s godown, Scott Lane BAHLMANN & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1867.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. MERALLY DHURUMSDYBHOY, in our Firm ceased on the loth instant, and the said Firm will be continued under the Style of SHERIFF & Co. in Bombay, instead of VALLY MAHOMED ALLOOBHOY as hereto-

SHERIFF & Co. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself, as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR and GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, at this Port, under the style and Firm of GUNDRY & Co. ALFRED A. GUNDRY. Shangbae, June 1, 1865

Houses and Lands.

HE Premises situated in Queen's Road, Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. Marsu & Co. For particulars, apply to LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

THE FIRST FLOOR of the House No. 94, Queen's Road Central, corner of Graham Street, consisting of three spacious Rooms, Verandah and Outhouses, well adapted for Offices.

WM. SCHMIDT & Co. Hongkong, October 2, 1867.

TO BE LET: WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

GAVIN THOMPSON. at GIBB, LIVINGBTON & Co.'s. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET. TOUR Large ROOMS on Second Flour Pabove the Offices of the Undersigned 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Terms, &c., apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867

WO or three Rooms, suitable for Offices. or otherwise, facing the Praya, West J. S. HOOK SON & Co.

Hongkong, September 3, 1867. TO BE LET. Furnished or Unfurnished. HE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at

present occupied by Mr N. R. Masson. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson at Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

N OFFICE with Godown and Com pradore's Room. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

O. I. PECHILI TERRACE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, May 24, 1867.

TO LET. HE whole or part of a HOUSE situated ... in Queen's Road Central. For particulars, apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, January 28, 1867.

TO LET. HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messis Elmenhorst & Sanders.

For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

TO LET. TOURNISHED or unfurnished OFFICES in BANK BUILDINGS, immediately opposite the Hotel Company's Premises.

Also, Coach HOUSE and STABLING for 5 Horses, situated on the Robinson Road Water and Gas-laid on, with the use of an Enclosed Grazing Paddock adjoining. For further particulars, apply to Ma. EDMUND SHARP,

Solicitor. Hongkong, August 20, 1867.

TO LET. /IHE extensive and eligible PREMISES L. Corner of Hollywood Road and Shelley Street, lately in the occupation of H. M.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, September 4, 1867,

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. HE PREMISES situated at Fedder's Wharf, lately occupied by Messrs UGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1868. For further particulars, apply to THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

ROOM on Ground Floor Club Chambers, well suitable for an Office. For particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, April 16, 1867. LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. HE Undersigned will undertake to land

Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Bongkong, March 4, 1866.

TO LET. WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace, Spring Gardens, with or without Godowns, rent moderate.

LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, 5th September, 1867

TO BE LET. SHOP, situated in the best part of the A Queen's Road, with Show Cases and Fittings complete. N.B.—Two First Floor Rooms can be had with above, if required.

Address "Z.," care of Hongkong Dis-Hongkong, November 28, 1867.

TO LET. LARGE ROOM fronting the Queen's Road, suitable for either an Office Apply at the

MEDICAL HALL Queen's Road Hongkong, September 20, 1867.

TO LET. BRICK and Stone Built GODOWN a A Wanchai, capable of containing about 10,000 piculs. Apply to

OLYPHANT & Co. Hungkong, October 3, 1867.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW.

the 4th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., at the Godowns of Messrs William Pustau & Co.,--

For account of the concerned. :). Ex "OYERMANN L V S (in crown), 39 boxes CANDLES 6 and 5 per lb. Ex "HOKULOA, (in crown), 43 boxes CANDLES.

6 per lb. Ex "MIKADO." (in crown), 30 boxes CANDLES

6 per lb. Ex "OVERMANN,"

(in heart), 7 bales, each contain ing 24 pieces bale, containing pieces (in all 180) Assorted SPANISI 1 bale, containing 3

(in heart), pieces Dark Blue BROAD CLOTH. All more or less damaged by sea water. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7. Hougkong, January 3, 1868,

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Pub lic Auction, on

MONDAY. the 6th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock

A.M., at the Godowns of Messrs Bourjay, Hubener & Co.,---(For decount of the concerned.

Ex "RED RIDING HOOD."

555 tin-lined cases TINPLATES All more or less damaged by sea water. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before deliver a Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed of by Private Contract), on

FRIDAY The 17th January, 1868, at North ON BOARD,--The Hamburg fore and oft-rigged Stea-

 $\mathbb{E}PEIHO.$ 

Iron-built of 84 Tons Register, length fon Stern to Stem 95 feet, width of Bram 18 feet, depth of Hold 12, feet draught of water 7 to 8 feet, carrying capacity about 2,000 piculs.

The Engines are high pressure, of 35 horse-power, nominal, diameter of cylinder 14 inches, stroke 15 inches; connected with engines one feeding pump, and one ship's pump.

A Donkey Engine, which can be used by hand or steam. made to fill the boilers, fill or empty the after compartment of ship, or pump water out of engine

The Steamer is well found in Engineers' and Ship's Stores. Inventory may be seen on board, or on application to the Auctioneers

TERMS OF SALE. One third of the purchase money upon full of the hammer, the remainder upon transfer. The steamer will be at purchaser's risk immediately after the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, January 3, 1898.

New Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The S. S.

Capt. Ashton, will have immediate despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE.

HAVE this day commenced Business as Ship Broker. S. L. HIENEMANN. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

EX MAIL STEAMER. L YON SAUSAGES in hest condition. Assorted French CONFECTIONARY Malaga RAISINS in bottles and tins. ALMONDS in shells. Peeled ALMONDS in tins. Elemo FIGS in tins.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

PRUNES in bottle.

FOR SALE. Just Arrived. O BROADWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may be had at Wholesale Price. Address ''A.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

FOR SALE. Ex late Arrivals. 1)RIME California CHEESE. L Do. Gruyere Do. Do. California BUTTER. 100 barrels Prime Hamburg Mess PORK Prime Westphalia HAMS, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE.

) 200 boxes 1861, Chat TINKE & Co., I' BORDEAUX. d'Yssan. 200 boxes 1862, Chat Leóville 200 boxes 1858. Oha

Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

Victoria Exchange.

OLICIT inspection of their NEW STOCK, specially prepared for the coming Season, forming the largest and best assortment of GOODS they have ye

Black Glaces, Plain and Fancy Silks at old prices, Linsey, Rep. Wool Plaids and all the newest designs for Ladies' Dresses, a large assortment of Evening and Ball Dresses, Embroidered, Printed and made-up Skirts. Crinolines, Muslin Embroideries and Laces of all descriptions The newest styles in Dress Trimmings. Ladies' Trimmed Hats and Bonnets. Flowers. Feathers, Wreaths, etc. MANTLES and JACKETS

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TIES and SCARFS in great Felt Tapestry and Brussels Carpets, Matting and Floor

'Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hosiery of all makes: Latest Styles.

Household Linens of every description Black and Drab Felt HATS. Black and Drab Paris and Beaver Dress Hats.

Hongkong. September 24, 1867.

HE Stunmers APTINCE ALBERT and "SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJED BHOY" are withdrawn from the Canto River as Night Boats until further notice. Hongkong. November 15, 1867.

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SAMARANG SEA AND THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION,

Alacão, Aug. 4, 1866,

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-ance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant. Policies at Current Rates. Hongkong, August 9 1867.

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December 27, 1867. DEPARTURE. Jan. 3, Sea Belle, for Saigon. CLEARED. Burra Noorfol, for Singura. Atrevida, for Bangkok.

Clipper, for Whampoa

Red Riding Hood, for Bangkok. Christine, for Singapore. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE :— For SAIGON!— Per "JOSEPHINE AMEDA," on Sunday, the oth instant, at 9 A.M.

TT is hereby notified for general information that arrangements have been concluded between the British Post Office and the Post Office of Prussia under which Book Packets and Patterns or Samples of Merchandise may be forwarded from Hong kong to those places in Turkey, Moldavia or Wallachia, at which Austria maintains Post Offices, viz : Adrianople, Alexandretta, Antivari, Bakan, Berlad, Beyrout, Botuschany, Bourgas, Buchaiest, Caifa, Candia, Canca, Cavalla, Chio (Tchesme), Constanti nople, Dardanelles, Durazzo, Fookschan Galatz, Gallipoli, Giurcevo, Ibraila, Inc. boli, Jaffa, Janina, Jassy, Jerusalem, Kustendjie, Lagos, Larnaka, Latakia, Mersina, Mitylene, Philippopel, Piatra, Plojeshte Prevesa, Rétimo, Rhodes, Roman, Rutshuk, Salonica, Samsoun, Seres, Smyrna, Sofia, Sulina, Tchernavoda, Tene dos, Trebizond, Tripoli, Tultscha, Valona Varna, Volo, at the following reduced rates of postage, which must in all cases !

paid in advance. Not exceeding 2 onnees in weight, 8 ets. Above 2 onness and not exceeding Above 4 ounces and not exceeding 8 ounces, ......32, ,,

Above 8 ounces and not exceeding 1 lb., 64 ,, Every additional ½ lb., 32 ,, No Packet of Patterns or Samples must however, exceed 8 ounces in weight, and no Book Packet must exceed 3 Pounds in

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, November 27, 1867.

T is hereby notified for weneral information that from and after this date, all Letters sent to this Office for transmission Max. Sun's Rays, by the French Mail Packets running be- Minimum on Grass, tween Hongkong and Shanghai, to places Previous Rainon Grov., 0.57 other than Shanghai and Yokohama, must 24 hours. 1, above, ... 0.55 be prepaid

F. W. MITCHELL, Post Marter General, General Post Office. Hongkong, July 8, 1867.

TT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant which will come into operation on the 1st January. next, the postage, (British and Foreign combined) upon Letters not exceeding toz. in weight posted in the United Kingdom addressed to Officers in the Army serving in the Colonies, or sent by Officers in the Army serving in the Colonies to the United Kingdom, will be reduced to Six Pence. and therefore that on and after the date named, upon all Letters of this description addressed to the United Kingdom which may be posted at this Office the reduced rate of Six Pence per & oz. will be levied increasing for heavier Letters according to the usual scale: provided that the following conditions be complied with: viz.; that the signature of the Officer sending the Letter be superscribed thereon, together with the signature of the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, Corps or Detachment in which such Officer is serving, or the signature of the head of the Department to which such Officer belongs, All Letters which may be forwarded under the regulations of this Warrant will be subject, in addition, to the payment of

any foreign postage which may be chargeable thereon. Officers' Letters, therefore, which may be sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom viå Marseilles will be subject, in addition, to the French transit rate of 4d. per doz., for example: the rate of postage

FOR A LETTI R. Via Southampton. Above tounce and not exceed. Above I ounce and not exceeding  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ounce,......36

Above It ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces,......48 For every additional 1 ounce,.. 12. Via Marseilles. Under to ounce,.....20 cents.

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ceeding 2 ounces,.....80 For every additional bounce, 20 Letters which may be posted unpaid or insufficiently paid will be liable to the deficient postage, together with a further rate. of Six Pence.

tion that in future the postage upon

Newspapers forwarded from Hongkong to

Postmaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. T is hereby notified for general informa-

the undermentioned places through the United Kingdom will be charged at the following reduced rates, viz :--FOR A NEWSPAPER NOT EXCEEDING 4 OZS. IN WEIGHT. Addressed to Southampton. Marseilles.

Bolivia, Ecua-

dor, Peru,

F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster General.

Cents

General Post Office, Hongkoug, October 8, 1867. TT is hereby notified that henceforward L correspondence addressed to Portugal may be forwarded via Marseilles in the Mails by loth the French and English Packets at the following rates of postage, viz.—For a letter under \( \frac{1}{2} \) of an oz in weight, 20 cents; above # and not exceeding an oz. 40 cents; above and not exceeding f of an oz. 60 cents; for every additional i ounce, 20 cents. Prepayment of the postage on Letters is optional, the postage on Newspapers and other Printed Pa-

postage be paid in advance. Assistant Poetmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, July 8, 1867.

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oc registered, provided double the ordinary

UNDER DESPATCH. For Saigon. - Per Josephine Ameda, on Sunday, the 5th instant, at 10 a.m.

## QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 3rd January, 1868. OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... Benares, New, Malwa, ...

Bank, 6 months' sight,

Exchange.

On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 219 Bombay, 3 days' sight; Rs. 218 Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank Tls. 72 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B. Gold Leaf. Gold Bar, 98 touch. English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns,

H. & W. poa dock, Old, 22 per cent pm. o. do. New, 14 per cent pm. H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 7 per cent pm. Union Dock Shares, ... 20 a 25 per cent dis. Temperature. Honokono, 3rd January, 1868.

Gas Company Shares, 40 per Share.

9 A.M. 3 P.M. : 30 200 : 30.1**02** Attached Thermometer, 60 Dry Bulb, .... 57.0 Wet Bulb, ... 52.0 Maximum S. Rgr., Minimum S. Rgr., 24 hours. 1 , above, ... 0.55 Wind, ... N.E. Force, .... ... ... Oloud, .... ...

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JANUAR

January, 3, 1868.

I will be recollected that in remarks upon the postal syst we have expression to the feeling of regret which pr the want of those facilities of the world which form adjuncts to the post-office Our remarks ba chiefly to the increasing with order office in order to pr transmission of small sums port. Although we are not to authoritatively pronoun ney order branch will with period be added to the local a we have good reason to bel Bubject had, previous to of our remarks, received consideration of the Post-nic whose acquaintance with the foreign community i already led him to recom "Post-Office order" should as in England, a familia Whilst uncertain as to Home postal authorities the establishment in ques express our hope that in unusual delay the comm Colony will take upon supplement the action of by forwarding a memorial An enormous amount of would be spared did there and safe method of remitti

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out resorting to measin in any way cramp officia administer colonial affairs instance an Auditor Gene tions it would appear performed in the Treasu his own. The present A ship is, it is well kno chiefly for the convenie sular service, which, wit acumen, is so constitute political head quarters Poking its financial hea Colony, To the think would seem that a transf of the whole machinery sular matters would be a and Auditor alike. And express our surprise that however willing to wor sham as regards this have been so long attache administration. The di Auditor General could b s not new, and we ca oredit than that of remin ment of a long-acknowle reminders are useful in and in the present cas

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F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. Office, cember 16, 1867.

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Viâ Via -Marseilles. Cents

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. ober 8, 1867.

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J. SIMPSON. stant Portmaster General Post Office,

DESPATCH. er Josephine Ameda, on ustant, at 10 A.M.

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## THE CHINA MAIL.

Hongkong, Friday, January 3, 1868.

IT will be recollected that in some recent remarks upon the postal system in China we gave expression to the very general feeling of regret-which prevailed as to the want of those facilities in this part of the world which form such useful adjuncts to the post-office system at Our remarks had reference chiefly to the increasing want of a money order office in order to provide for the ney order branch will within any fixed we have good reason to believe that the subject had, previous to the appearance other hand, the brothel-mistress sent consideration of the Post-master General. whose acquaintance with the wants of the foreign community in China had already led him to recommend that th "Post-Office order" should become here. as in England, a familiar institution. Whilst uncertain as to whether the the establishment in question, we may express our lione that in the event of unusual delay the community of this Colony will take upon themselves supplement the action of the executive by forwarding a memorial on the subject. An enormous amount of inconvenience and safe method of remitting small sums to and from the open ports of China and

While the subject of finances occupies public attention, as it inevitably must until the military contribution and other questions are finally settled, it becomes worth while to note any reasonable mode Peak, was brought up before Mr May this of retrenchment in our colonial expenses. The old Scotch proverb of "mony a mickle maks a muckle" may apply in this case, though at first sight the "mickle" sums in which a saving may be effected may seem small. There is one branch of the public service in which a retrenchment seems not only wise finan- the effect, that they would not move or cially but likely to obviate other inconveniences, and that is the Bench of Police Magistrates. At the present moment we (he says) of paying the coolies \$1 every have two gentlemen paid for doing what trip, and of giving them something to ea it would fairly appear one might easily perform. If we are correctly informed, each of these draw some £800 per annum in order to administer the justice of the colony in minor matters; and it would seem that if one were left in undisputed possession of the bench, justice would not be impeded, while any ques- gor's troubles. P. C. Sergeant 271 (Indian) tion as to priority, such as we believe here appeared, at the very time he was no now exists, would be effectually shelved wanted; and the M. at the P. resented to the advantage of the Colony. Even were the salary of the sole magistrate raised to £1000 per annum, there would be a clear gain of £600 no small advantage considering the present demand | did so, his baton got to M'Gregor's head for efficient interpreters, towards procuring which the sum thus saved might be left temple which almost stunned him, and

There are other departments in which monetary reform might be effected without resorting to measures which would in any way cramp official competence to administer colonial affairs. We have for instance an Auditor General, whose functions it would appear could be as well performed in the Treasurer's Office as in his own. The present Auditor Generalship is, it is well known, maintained chiefly for the convenience of the Consular service, which, with foreign office, acumen, is so constituted that while its political head quarters are situated at credit than that of reminding the government of a long-acknowledged fact. Still

LOCAL.

THE sale of Coal, advertised for to-morrow by Messrs Hunt & Co., is postponed indefinitely. The correction of the advertisement which appears in our first page did not reach us time enough to permit of the required alteration being made in it.

WE are requested to state that the Military Athletic Sports, which were originally named to come off on Monday next, are unavoidably postponed until the following day. Tuesday, 7th inst. The scene of action will be on the Cricket Ground, and the band of the 73rd will, we understand, play at intervals during the games, which will no doubt attract a large number of specta-

THE FAITHFUL WATCHMEN.

Mr F. J. Pereira, assistant at Mesers Dent & Co.'s, appeared to-day at the Police Magistracy to charge two Chinese watchmen of that firm, in so far as two valuable telescopes were screwed from off their stands in the verandah and carried off yesterday morning while the two prisoners were watching, or supposed to be watching, the premises. P. C. 240, while on the beat nearest to Messrs Dent & Co.'s premises, observed a Chinaman bearing two telescopes along the Queen's Road about five o'clock yesterday morning, and hailed him; when the thief at once threw down the glasses and took to his heels. The telescopes have been identified, and one of them is now useless from the rough usage His Worship said he would remand th case for a week; the prisoners would be bailed out, and they had better find the thief by the time they were brought up on Both prisoners are old men, one said he had been in Messra Dent & Co.'s employ for nearly 20 years.

his chow-chow. - 3d Jan. 1868.

servant's duty to get the ticket.

o register his domestics at once.

as an endorsement.

it in the newspapers since that time.

and it had never come back to him.

son why a servant was discharged.

it was a very blind affair indeed.

Defendant observed that if such informa-

e very useful to employers, as to who,

His Worship remarked that it was most

natural, for one who had not looked

thoroughly into the Ordinance, to do as

the defendant had done. But the law has

it that the Registrar General should and

must be the receptacle for all such informa-

tion concerning servants' characters. He

was compelled by the Ordinance to impose

a minimum penalty of \$5 in each case.

"Jem" already 1

tion was preserved on the tickets, it would

should and who should not be employed.

clearly enough.

General's Office in such matters.

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES.

· NON-REGISTRATION:

PROSTITUTES AND THEIR RIGHTS. A curious case was brought before Mr May this morning, wherein a brothel-mis tress and a prostitute were the parties. The story runs as follows. A young widow. a dresser of hair, who resided in a village called Shak-ke, was induced by two other women to consent to go to Macao, and then shortly afterwards (on 22d October) she found lierself in this Colony, located in Brothel No. 164. She was to receive Tls. 2 per month as salary; but she did not wish to become an inmate of such a place. transmission of small sums from port to | Money was paid for her to the two women port. Although we are not in a position | The mistress of the establishment beat her to authoritatively pronounce that a mo- once or twice, and threatened to sell her on Monday last. The other day, her father (an old man) came with a constable and reperiod be added to the local establishment | leased her; and the brothel mistress was charged with illegal detention. On the of our remarks, received the attentive a petition to the Magistrate, complaining bitterly of the proceedings of this young widow. An agreement was produced, which purported to be an engagement on the part of the young widow to serve the brothel-mistress for three years for \$45; after receiving which money, the mistress avers that the young widow adouted this plan to get released from her Home postal authorities will concede engagement. (We wonder if this agreement was stamped, and whether a stamped receipt was given for the money.)-His Worship said it was a very confused case, and the story of the young widow was a very unlikely one. Still, if the prisoner, chose to keep a brothel, she must see to it that the women were there with the most perfect willingness. If they at any time would be spared did there exist a speedy | wished to go away, she could not prevent them, and it mattered not, in the eve of the English law, whether she had given them a sum of money or not. Prisoner was discharged, and the young widow was told that she could go whithersoover she

THE MAN-AT-THE-PEAK IN TROUBLE-AN INDIAN CONSTABLE REPROVED. morning on a charge of having assaulted a. chair-coolie-and an Indian police sergeant It appears that M'Gregor, the M. at the P., purposed ascending the Hill yesterday, and to that end he engaged a chair with two coolies. As far as the Public Gardens. all went well; but all of a sudden the coolies moved and carried a resolution to carry the chair up the Peak that day. This conduct struck the M. at the P. as very strange, because he made it a principl previous to their descent, while two coolies always received the \$1 the same as if four were engaged. The M. at the P. was annoved as well as surprised at the coolies. and at last gave expression to his annoyance by kicking one of them so severely that he had to be sent to Hospital. This. however, was only the beginning of M'Grethis low species of espionage by at once flooring the spy (M'Gregor stated his belief that the sergeant must have been in league with the coolies). The Sergeant, however, soon got to his feet, and the moment he for the M. at the P. received a blow on his brought him to the ground. This proceeding M'Gregor characterized as very shabby conduct, and, in fact, the Sergeaut (accord ing to him) had treated him shamefully altogether.—The Magistrate said that h had often speken to M'Gregor regarding the secret of this case, viz., "the drop too much." and he knew that the M. at the was a violent man when he reached that advanced stage. He would fine him 81 for assaulting the coolie, and order him to pay 50 cents for the coolies' time and chair

hire. The Sergeant had evidently used unnecessary violence, and had acted with undue haste; and he would punish the Sergeant accordingly. [M'Gregor: Thank Peking its financial liead resides in this into the dock, charged with having exceeded Colony, Too the thinking civilian it his duty. Defendant pleaded that the M. would seem that a transference to Peking at the P was struggling with him when he night include the name of Herr Tag- easy to foretell the issue; or given the is- Church of England. Men will then of the whole machinery involved in Con- used the baton; but as all the other witand Additor alike. And we cannot but the Bergeant ought to be thoroughly violinists and composers for the instrument.

Broad Church dignitary—frantically irate made up of such individuals, with whose at the result of the Lambeth Conference—is course the side wind has little to do. With reported to have approved of this policy.

By part of the plea went for nothing.—Mr May said present one held a good place among show made up of such individuals, with whose at the result of the Lambeth Conference—is course the side wind has little to do. With reported to have approved of this policy.

By present one surprise that an official who, as the made of himself a with six years experihowever willing to work, is a manifest ence in the Police force, he ought to have meister to the Prince of Hohenzollern either to good or evil, they have only fol- Salisbury's diocese should be selected—but sham as regards this Colony, should known better. Instead of preserving the Heckingen. | lowed a direct impulsion. But with the finally resolved upon that Dr Wilberforce have been so long attached to the colonial peace in a judicious manner, he had acted Questions for the Soismirro. Does man of stronger character, whose mind, by should be chosen to fight the battle of administration. The discovery that the like one going into a fight. There was no the wind chop "round" in the arctic circle? innate determination, or by that obstinacy | Catholic truth against Erastian heterodoxy. Auditor General could be dispensed with danger; and no necessity for using violence What acid is used for dissolution of parts with which determination is often don't Our readers may rely upon the substantial Is not new, and we can claim no other at all; and certainly there were no marks norship? Is a galvanic shock indecorous? founded, is fixed in a certain obdurate accuracy of this information." of violence upon his body, while M'Gregor Are there any arrows for a rainbow 1 groove, the side wind is often found the The famous American clowd Agreat, was severely out in two places. He had reminders are useful in money matters, trate) would fine him \$5, and in the event is he an accepted Bill? Should James's is the nature prone to resist. The more firing a pistol in his mouth at the moment and in the present case may prove of of non-payment would send him to Gaol, wife want dismonds when she possesses a foreible the inducement, the stronger his he was hanging by his feet to the ceiling of on his way, with other convicts, to the for 14 days.

CHINESE ODDS AND ENDS. Our Canton correspondent writes :- Doss Mahommed died yesterday morning from (Hankow Times.) the effects of the wounds. An inquest was

England learning their letters from the took thwarted his master. That Irishman | defect in our law of libel, and the propriety, held yesterday afternoon, and from the signboards on the streets. This could not evidence adduced the Jury felt almost corbe done in China, for the "beckoning- winds; and the man in our hypothesis is ped Bill of last session is re-introduced tain that the wounds which had caused his boards," as the shop-signs are called, abound to be best governed by similar diplomacy. If A notable correspondence has just taken death, must have been inflicted by the with high-flown sentiments, and far-fetched | Entreaties are thrown away upon him; to | place between a gentleman of the name of coolie Leong Shan, whilst he was held and phrases. In devising a sign-board, after bribes he is nobly indifferent; force he Hargreaves, who resides at 29. Grosvenordragged down stairs by the deceased. On the verdict being recorded, the Coroner, writing the name of the individual, as the repels with force. But to the gentle im- road, Birkenhead, and Canon Chapman, Mr Consul Robertson, read to the Jury, top character, the object is to choose words | pulse coming from the direction whereof he | the senior priest of St. Werburga's Church, in corroboration of their finding, the state- of good omen all of which have much the knows nothing, and with a strength not less | Birkenhead. Mr Hargreaves, speaking in ment made by Leong Shan to the Chinese same idea of increase, prosperity, or wealth. forcible in that it is unmarked—appealing public of the demerits of the Roman Catho-Magistrate without being tortured. His The prevalent terms in use in Hankow are it may be to his vanity, or his pet passion, or lic convents, said :- 'A case has recently wages seem to have been two dollars per | sen, fuh, shing, loong, mow, sen, yeaw, fuh, even his very obstinacy-he yields a willing | occurred near Manchester where a gentlemonth, which being inadequate to his tai, shwin, u, tsang, shin, how. In the rudder. It is the nature of side winds that man went to see his daughter at a convent, wants, he adopted the principle of necessitus case of a firm, the top character is not one their direction as well as their force is imper- and found she was within a few days of her non legem habet, by going upstairs on the of the hundred names, but a word of good | ceptible. When once these are ascertained | confinement.' On hearing of this, Canon night of the 28th ulto,, to steal some money omen, with some such character as loony the motive power changes its character and Chapman wrote to Mr. Hargreaves, chalor valuables from his master's room, who know, or hob, signifying union. In the becomes a direct impulse, to which the length him to name the convent in which

drew a knife and stabbed him. This des- nal combination of characters, surmount- either instance the nature of the force is Canon's letter, replied that he had perate character is not older than 22 years, ed with the word chee, prefixed by transmuted—its insidiousness lost, so far as named no names, and should decline to say and is said to belong to the Hakka tribe. some other distinctive character, as shing, the individual is concerned. It may still more.' On being further pressed by Canon . For several years past he was an apprentice | An old sign-board, like a trade-mark, is a | continue to act, but it is no longer a side | Chapman, Mr Hargreaves invites him to in the house under the deceased's brother, valuable piece of property, and like the wind, for he alters his course, turns the publish the correspondence, which the and it was only since the latter's departure good-will of a shop at home, fetches a good, ship's head, and souds before the breeze. Canon accordingly does, exhibiting Mr hence last year that the wages of two dol- sum at the time of transfer. The sign of a Or the side wind may deepen into a gale, Hargreaves in the unenviable position of lars had been allowed him independent of drug-shop in Hankow has been sold for and then again it alters; for it then becomes having made a foul accusation against some three thousand taels.

Mr Honorato Jorge was summoned this air to the vista. Formerly the best shops and direction. This is, however, only the punity spit his poison at several persons. morning by the Registrar General for hav- had the smallest boards, but now all flare subjective philosophy of the side wind; for, even although their number is limited, and ing in his employ three or four unregistered away in all the loudness of contrasted co- of course, a man may employ the agent on the libel, not being addressed to one, atservants. Mr Osmond appeared for the lours, and blazonry of yellow gilding. Dif- another, even as it is employed upon him; taches to all; at least we learn of no princi-Registrar General, and produced as a wit- ferent shapes of the board and various in which case he, as controlling it, is fully | ple and no decision that could meet such a ness a boy who had been in the employ of colours for the letters and face of the sign, aware of its direction, its power, and its case as is reported above. The injured perdefendant, but had been discharged quite denote different trades. The drug-shops intention. for about seven months, and had asked Mr Osmond said that both the master a wholesale druggist. Tobacconists' shops and servant were liable. If the servant could not give the name of his employer. he was bound to get a chit from the Master. letters. There are endless varieties of these There were three or four other servants in defendant's employ who were not registerthe employer exercised over the servant. The must inflict a fine of \$10, and ask him

Mr Osmond stated that the unregistered absolutely necessary. boy also suffered, as he could not recover certain wages due, owing to the fact that ne was not in possession of a registration store, next appeared to answer a summons issued under powers of the same ordinance. Mr Osmond produced two registration tickets which he said had been defaced by the defendant on 6th July last, the words "insolent and lazy" having been written Defendant said that he did not remember anything of the circumstance. He admitted his signature, but said that the words complained of were written by the person who has charge of the coolies in the Naval Depot. At all events, whatever had been done, had been done in ignorance at the time of that portion of the Ordinance: although he had read it and seen notices of His Worship asked the prosecutor what grinding corn, are called faung. Tea-shops, cooking-house, confectioners and eating was the plan adopted at the Registrar house in general, are spoken of as quan. Mr Osmond replied that, in a case where a servant was discharged for misconduct, the certificate should be sent to the Registrar General, accompanied with an ex- with the terms clear, golden, dewy, bubbling, the sculptured Virgin's foot, worn away by

pleasing metaphor and symbol. new one issued; if only insolence or laziness, as in this case, the servant would rethat information under the impression that Mr E. J. Sage, having asked leave, oil-cloth of a blue colour, just in advance (none of them actual offences, all of them | very hot vinegar and sprinkle them with direction expressed on the certificate, he to be partaken upon the road, or at an a man more and more from his home. had duly endorsed a boy's certificate some time ago with the words "good behaviour," He any means. Inside this box, called the more profitable to dwell upon. As within his wished merely for information on the subject. His impression of defacement was. blotting or some other injury, and he supposed that an endorsement was to write the Irish Papist, doing painful penance at one's own name, in addition (in this case) the bidding of the Priest! By carrying these to supplying the information as to the rea-The Magistrate said that the column mandarin is supposed to be tsouh-mohi. 'Date of Expiry of Service" expressed itself ching-shin, or to strike their eye and warn their heart. There is the chichmin. Mr Sage allmitted that fact, but referring for the feet,—the san-how, for fastening to the clause as to endorsement, said that the hands together, and the tich-lien, or

> In addition to these powerful and painfu monitors, which are said to be put into actual use, the yamun is supplied with tablets inscribed with raproving maxims, much as texts of scripture are painted fanciful scrolls, on the walls of High Churches. With all these excellent pre cautions, good justice can be best bought with good money, at almost all tribunals.

> > SIDE WINDS. (The Leader.)

It is a matter of considerable importance that, in estimating the extent of an act with THE sale of Beethoven's piano is anstrument, made seventy years ago, by with what shall it be filled? The man of the manufacturer to Beethoven, is in per- by direct and visible agencies; on him cer-Queries.—Is John's better half a demi- only available motive power. You cannot called the man-fly, committed suicide, at behaved very badly, and he (the Magis, john? When William obtains a sweetheart drive such a man by obvious exertion; his Berlin, in presence of 2000 spectators, by opposition. He is like the Irishman's the theatre.

swine, who could only be got to Cerk through the impression that he was wanted I discreditable incident, says the Law Times, There are stories told of poor boys in to go to Kinsale, and that every step he reported in the newspapers suggests a great! had a fair knowledge of the use of side of attempting to amend it when the dropawaking at the time and seizing him, Leong | case of sons separating from paternal shop, | object influenced may either offer resistance | the occurrence took place, and Mr Har-Shan confesses his guilt by stating that he or hong, they still employ the origi- or capitulation, as the case may be. In greaves, acknowledging the receipt of the

recently. He was in defendant's employ have gilded signs, often traced with waving Perhaps in the matrimonial life may the nor could any one of them singly, so that lines, and large standard tablets, not side wind be discovered in its fullest dedefendant three or four times to get him a removed out of their sockets at night, velopment. It is not always to be discover- cruel and foul than any that usually ask Because medicines are supposed to be ed at all, even by the acutest outside exemplary damages from a jury. It would The Magistrate remarked that it was the produced on mountains, the word san observer; but it is not for that reason sus- not be difficult to remedy this defect in the is generally introduced into the sign of ceptible of less happy employment. The law by enabling persons libelled, as it were. prudent wife has in the menage a very cave | en masse, by imputations levelled at one have red signs with gilt letters, and of the zephyrs, and is herself an Æolus among them unnamed, to require the libelplaters of ornaments with gold affect a among side winds. For it is to this form ler by summons before a judge in chambers salmon-coloured face of ground, with green of gentle impulsion that a woman is best to state to which of them he referred, so adapted : in woman's brain diplomacy has that the action might be brought by that combinations, for the sake of easy distinctits choicest seat. Man's government is person only, and that in default of such ined; and he would press for a fine in this tion. On very many sign-boards, the seldom achieved without some display of dication, he should be subject to the same articles made or sold are carefully depicted brute force; woman temporizes. Man, action for damages by all or any of the per-Defendant stated that he was never asked in great minuteness of detail. Articles when thwarted, will run his head against a sons included within the range of his libel as by the boy for a ticket, but admitted his | themselves are seldom hang out. Above | brick wall; woman looks out for a hole in | if he had named such persons. the characters of the sign of a large hong, the wall, and into that thrusts, not her The Magistrate observed that the de- may be generally seen two characters head, but her heart. The end may be correspondent who dates from "the viciendant ought to have asked for tickets pootieh. These refer to the licence which equally gained or equally lost by either from his servants, and the possession of can be obtained of the authorities, and is process; but in the long run the latter those certificates were a sort of power which of three kinds, sang, tsoong and shia, ac- course is oftenest crowned with success. cording to a scale of charges, beginning | Purists may call such policy a form of hypo- | store window and broke a pane of French with a thousand taels. This licence adds orisy; the Pharisaism which is imbedded glass, and when asked to pay for it as to the respectability of the firm, but is not in the heart of old-bachelordom may in- deliberately drew out a 100 dol. bill. which vest it with hard names; but after all the the storekeeper took, giving him 70 dol. in: It is to be observed that very often none | end sanctifies the means-at least in the | change. The bill proved to be counterfeit. of the goods in a large warehouse belong to feminine theology it does so. And then The Canadians are said to be as anxious the owner of the premises, who merely what ngly issues have been averted by a little for a renewal of reciprocity between Canada lodges the dealers, and derives a certain judicious temporizing-what sighs and tears, and the United States as some people in profit from the sale of the goods placed in and groams, and rending of garments! The the latter country. A letter from Canada, Mr C. J. Emery, paymaster, U. S. naval his safe keeping. There are various terms old-scholars of St. Dmer fully appreciated referring to the approaching session of by which the places of business, manu-the value of this policy; and a woman's Parliament, says that among the earliest facture, or sale are jealously distinguish. philosophy is the basis on which the teach- measures to be introduced will be one to ed. There is the hong which can only ing of St. Omer was built. Lucky is the re-establish, if possible, the Reciprocity sell goods by wholesale according to the man the mechanism of whose married life | Treaty with the United States. rules of the company to which it belongs. moves on noiseless wheels. Like the at-There is the poa or tien, used for retail mosphere whose enormous weight presses ing to Mr R Nash, churchwarden of Otdealers and manufacturers in general. The with such equability on our bodies that we ford, whose extraordinary sagacity and t'sai, or studio, is confined to comb-shops, never feel it, the atmosphere surrounding | decility made him a general favourite in boot and shoe makers, stationers, &c. Ink, him is so judiciously disposed that he ex- this locality, and whose exploits as a letterincense, drug, and firstelass tobacco shops. | periences no pressure. To the husband of | carrier have been chronicled, died last week with powder-factories, are called chah. ordinary strength of mind, anything like at Broughton Farm. Sailor was for many This term is, however, only properly ap- feminine despotism is particularly irksome. | years "home postman" to Mr Nash. 'Replied to public offices. Taung or hall is There are weak and not wholly indifferent gularly every morning he watched for the applied to book-stores and scroll-shops, men who like to be henpecked; but, as a postman as he came from Sevencaks into Italian-warehouses are called quen, or rule, the best husbands are drawn from the the village, and followed him into Mr gardens, in which the spices sold are sup- | ranks of those who detest conjugal tyranny. | Troughton's shop, where the post-office is posed to grow. Oil-shops and mills for But the prudent wife will rule her husband | kept, and sat patiently watching while the -be he never so strong, never so self-willed letters were being allotted out, and when -by the happy employment of the side Mr Nash's letters were ready for him he wind judiciously set in motion. She weans and are further distinguished as seh, shin, | him from this passion, directs him to that | them in his mouth, going directly home

the word chean, or fountain, amplified out new cares and new interests, until, like about ten years old. Before mandarins of a certain rank, say kiss. The medal has its reverse, of course, of the great man's chair, and might be nameless, indefinable acts of oppression, taken for the elements of a cold collation. mere side winds of fatality), which alienate official pic-nie. Such is not the case by the former picture is the pleasanter and the tal-hai, are the chin-chu, which are for own doors, so without in the world, a man His Excellency what the hair shirt, or the is exposed to side winds without numbersmall scourge is for the Jeanit Father, or | in the mart, the studio, the pulpit, the the hard peas in the stockingless shoes of field. How many of them play around that noble old edifice, our national Church! forms, while statesmanship is the prev to pelled to do upon his shortest journey, the | the great typical side wind among them all whose other name is Diplomacy.

> MISCELLANEOUS. DR COLENSO AGAIN. - The Church News

contains the following paragraph: Some months ago we stated that Dr Colenso had been advised by certain of his Broad Church friends in England to retire from his present position, in which it is evident he is anything but succeeding in the work undertaken, and to come to England. statement, which went the round of the papers at the time we published it. was formully and categorically contradicted on behalf of the ex. Bishop of Natal. So that many persons thought us in error as regards the statement. Since then, however, we have been permitted to see a cory of the actual correspondence which took place on its relative causes, we allow an ample mar- the subject, which in every particular hope is there for the world when all pronounced by its present possessor, a resident | gin for side winds. The margin being ad- expressly bears out what we stated. Since of Klausenberg, Transylvania. This in- mitted, it becomes the next speculation then a second correspondence has taken place reiterating the advice previously Vogel, of Pesth, and probably presented by feeble resolution, for instance, is governed tendered; and indicating that a Berkshire clergyman is prepared to resign his living feet preservation. It has a portrait of the tain impulses, or certain extraneous forces, in order that Dr Colenso may be presented lorgnette, when the married man took the P. C. 271, Indian Sergeant, was then put illustrious musician at the age of twenty operate in a way the end of which is suffi- to it, and the legal position of the bishop printed card "Taken," which lay on a reciently obvious. Given the agency and its formally defined. When this happens the served seat by, and held it up before his THE German obituaries for the last fort- direction, and with such a character, it is case in all its bearings will be before the wife. Donkey looked no more. lichsbeck. He was born very late in thelast sue, it is easy to approximate to the causes compelled to take sides. A well known century, and during the early part of the which have led to it. And the herd is Broad Church dignitary-frantically irate

WHOLESALE SLANDER: - The following

an agency to yield to or repel. The essence half-dozen convents which he cannot at-The appearance of the hanging boards, of side winds is their gentleness, their tempt to substantiate." The law properly the standard signs, and the smaller tablets steadiness, their immutability of strength, punishes a libel upon an individual named placed over the shop entrance, give a lively and the unconsciousness of their existence or pointed at, but a slanderer may with imsons could not maintain an action jointly,

THE New York Herald has a special nity of the North Pole.

A SHREWD villain in Nassau, New Hampshire, lately walked deliberately up to a

The famous retriever dog Sailor, belong jumped up gaily to the counter and took

ynen, &c. Tea-houses are very fond of pursuit, controls the other failing, opens and delivering them to his master. He was planation of the misconduct. If such perfumed, &c. In all these instances we the kisses of innumerable worshippers, the had two children sick with measles wrote see the play of an imaginative type of angularities and nodosities disappear, to a friend for the best remedy. The friend then the certificate was detained, and no mind, tending to a profuse employment of though every application of the smoothing had just received a note from another lady, process has been as soft as each adorer's inquiring the way to pickle cucumbers. In the confusion the lady who inquired within the fourth degree, there is carried a and a fearful picture it presents of the side about the pickles received the remedy for Defendant said that he was merely giving large box, such as is used in China for wind unwisely employed—of the nagging, the measles, and the anxious mother of the transporting the materials for a feast, or | the taunts, the want of sympathy, the | sick children with horror read the followsending presents. This is covered with | thousand and one forms of domestic misery | ing :- "Scald them three or four times in salt, and in a very few days they will be

> Ar a recent wedding in Ohio the bridegroom gave his guests beer and cake. and then charged them 50c. cach for supper. ARTFUL --- A Yankee lawyer, who was pleading the cause of little boy, took him up in his arms, and held him up to the jury, suffused in tears This had a great effect until the opposite lawyer asked the Art and literature have them in countless | boy, "What makes you cry?" "He's pinching me," said the boy.

ARITHMETIC.—An honest Hibernian, in a company who blamed the clergy for taking the tenth part of the people's property, ex-! claimed, "Ay! they would take a twentieth if they could."

The Sucz Canal Company, we hear, lately announced to the P. & O. Company that they were prepared to carry coals right through from Port Said to Suez. Their offer was respectfully declined because it was found, that the freight by the Canal would cost about 10 shillings a ton more than it now comes to by railway. M. de Lesseps and his friends are of course furious at this new proof of the jealous determination of the English people to prevent the success of the grandest enterprise of the age. English selfishness must indeed be ineradicable, when a great Company refuses to sacrifice the small sum of 10s. a ton on fuel for the sake of an idea. What gress is thus thwarted by a shopkeeping people who are mean enough to think of nothing but dividends ?-Bombay Garette.

A HUMAN donkey at Chicago was staring at a man's wife the other evening with a

MR J. H. TILLETT, editor of the Norfolk News, is named as a working mau's candidate for the representation of Norwich.

THE Melbourne Argus mentions with natural satisfaction that since 1859 there has been a steady and marked decrease in the number of criminal convictions in Victoria. although the population of the colony has greatly increased during the same period. -

The marriage of the mighty evoker of spirits, Mr Home, and Madame Moet, the champagne widow, is announced.

Berezowski, who made the attempt upon the Emperor of Russia's life in Paris, and was sentenced to penal servitude for life; is French penal settlement of Saigon.

MAILS BY THE "ORISSA." The Contract Packet "ORINSA," will be dispached with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on WEDNESDAY, the January, and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M.

After 11 A.M. all Letters, &c., will be voltargeable, in addition to the usual terns. The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 1 P.M., and for PNewspapers, Books or Patterns, Noon wolf the loth January,

Further late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Murseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 1.30 to 1.50 P.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prehayment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on,

charged with a flue of One Shilling in addition to the postage. Letters posted after 11 A.M. will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is prepaid.

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped IVI Secretaryship of the Union Insurance given that such Letters, if posted on he morning of the Packet's departure Messrs Lyall, Still & Co. will be returned until after the mail is

Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the corres nondeuce, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees, when the Stamp or Stamps represent ing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January. 1864, and no other Coins; but those therein specified will either be received of the or given in change as fractional parts

in the current Dollars of the Colony or ready a larger circulation in the Out-ports F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post-Office. ongkong, January 2, 1868.

Intimations.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES-The Colonial Secretary. The Honograble W. KESWICK, Esq., GEO, HEARD, Esq., The Spperintendent of the P. & O. S. N.

o Company; (ex officio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-Mr Young, House Surgeon, W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer.

TERMS OF ADMISSION-1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 2nd (2 Beds in ea.)

3kd (Public Wards), ,, These Charges are inclusive of all Medi-Dietary Table. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at

the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended: 2nd: 1, \$40.

All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony. By order,

W. PATERSON, Hongkong, January 1, 1868

HE OFFICE of the Undersigned is REMOVED to GAGE STREET, Corner of Lyndhurat Terrice. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE. THE OFFICES of Mesers AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. have this day been removed to their old Premises adjoining the Cathedral. Hongkong, December 28, 1867.

MANOTICE OF REMOVAL. HE Office of the Undersigned is this day removed to No. 9. Gough Street. KIRCHNER BOGER & Co. Hongkong, September 30, 1867.

NOTICE. THE Ship chandlery BUSINESS of the Line Undersigned has been temporarily removed to Scott's Lane. No. 33 FREERKS RODATZ & Co.

Hongkong, December 9, 1867. THE Office of the Undersigned is removed to the Premises formerly occupied by Mesera Smith Kennedy & Co., Queen's

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, November 30, 1867.

REMOVAL

the PREMISES No. 13, Queen's ROAD through the Tal-hong Channel and round Central, formerly occupied by the Central Ling-ting back to the "Fort William," BANK OF WESTERN INDIA. passing that Vessel in returning on the port MACEWEN & Co. Hongkong, 6th December, 1867.

FRENCH I HE Advertiser, a PARISIAN, is desir- the remainder forty-eight hours before the Intibus of giving some French Lessons on Race is sailed. The RACE to be play or moderate terms. Address X. X., care of pay, Office of this Paper. Houghong, September 25, 1867.

Intimations.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION. BRITISH CONSULATE,

CANTON. June 6th. 1867. HE Undersigned hereby gives notice that in consequence of the decease of MR. E. L. Langa, lately British Consular Agent at Macao, the functions of the British Consular Agency at that Port will be temporarily discharged by Mr. Pro Marof State for Foreign Affairs. The Office of the British Consular Agency

is for the present established at No. 23, Rua da Feitoria at Macao. D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul.

Hongkong, June 8, 1867. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED,

NOTICE. CENDERS are invited for the BUILD ING of a Granite DOCK on the Grounds of the Company at Kowloon, the following dimensions, viz:-150 feet Long.

12 , Deep. 30 , Wide on Bottom. For particulars, apply to B. ENDICOTT.

Hongkong, December 13, 1867.

NOTICE. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

R. N. J. EDE having resigned the Acting thankfully received. addressed to places to which they can Society of Canton, Mr C. D. WILLIAMS is of Superintendent from this date, to whom not be forwarded unpaid, will be open- this day appointed Secretary, and is autho- or to the committee any information reed and returned to the writers as early rized to sign Policies of Insurance on be- quired in connection with the "Home" as possible, but no guarantee can be half of the Society. The offices of the company are now those lately occupied by

(Signed) W. KESWICK Chairman of the Committee Hongkong, July 4, 1867

MESSRS GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. of Shanghai. Foochow and Hankow have been appointed Agents for the Society at those Ports. (Signed) W. KESWICK hairman of the Committee.

Hongkong, July 4, 1867. NOTICE. AN SATURDAY, 4th January, 1868, will be published No. 1 of a New Volume

SUPREME COURT & CONSULAR Payment for Postage Stamps must be made a General Weekly Newspaper, having al-

> than any otlies paper. Southern Ports, including postage, \$9 per as this fine and invigorating medicine. 15ja advance, may be sent to the Office of the of European ladies as it is never failing in

some of them are nearly out of print. Shanghai, December 10, 1867. Published weekly. Subscription (Exclusive of postage) Tls. 12 per annum; payable

in advance. SUPREME COURT AND CONSULAR GAZETTE

LAW REPORTER FOR THE SUPREME AND PROVINCIAL COURTS OF CHINA AND JAPAN.

THE Gazette is a General Weekly Newspaper containing Officially Revised Reports | cannot be conquered by any other treatof Cases heard at the Supreme and Consular ment. Courts, Police Cases, and Proceedings i Bankruptcy; Original Articles; Notes and Queries on Legal points; Reports of Public Meetings; News of the Week, Commercial Summary, &c., &c.

Advertisements will be charged Tls. cines and Attendance, but exclusive of per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 56 Wines or Articles not in the recognised cts. per 10 lines, for each subsequent inser-Shangkai, Jhnuary, 1867.

GEORGE GLASSE,

FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS)

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED & REFITTED. Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

TATANTED by a YOUNG MAN, a situa tion as Clerk or Book-keeper. A nominal salary would be accepted, immediate employment being a greater object, Highest references can be given. Address "R.," China Mail Office Hongkong, December 27, 1867.

ILLINGWORTH & Co. having established theniselves at West Point, next below the Honorong and China Cas Co., are prepared to do all kinds of ENGINE AND BÖILER WORK:

SHIPSMITH'S WORK of any description.

They have also erected a FOUNDRY on the Premises, and are prepared to execute all kinds of IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS. And hope that by a strict attention to business and moderate charges, to merit a

Hongkong, August 22, 1867. "CHALLENGE." I HE Yacht Re Kcho will sail a Race for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars or upwards, with any keel or centre-board Yacht THE Undersigned have this day Removed in this Colony, from the "Fort William" MILLINERY, &c. their STORE from Praya East to through the Lycemoon Pass, from thence

> the Office of China, Mail, upon the accept- to the Public from this date during certain at the following rates :ance of the CHALLENGE, as forfeit, and Alterations and Repairs.

WHITE SHIELD. Hongkong, December 10, 1867,

Intimations.

BOWRA & Co., AUCTIONEERS, SHIP CHANDLERS, SAIL-MAKERS. WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

Water Boats in constant readiness to supply Ships with Pure Fresh Water. Sails made and repaired on the Premises. THE Members of the late Hongkong Vo-I lunteer Corps are hereby requested to postage, with a lute fee of 18 cents for QUBS, subject to and pending the sanction return without delay to the Undersigned leach Letter and two cents for each of Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at the RIFLES they have been allowed to re-Peking, and of H. M. Principal Secretary tain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

> Hongkong, March 18, 1867. SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT Trustees.

The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., JOHN DENT, | G. THOMSETT, Esq. WARREN DELANO. Jr. Esq.

H. B. GIBB, Esq. | W. ADAMSON, Esq. WALDEMAR NISSEN, R. BRAND. Esd. GEO. MACLEAN Esq. Palanjee Framjee, Rov. J. J. Irwin.

A. HEARD, Esq. Ivor Murhay, Esq. TH. B. LEMANN, Keq. Committee of Management. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman. THOS. SUTHERLAND, H. G. THOMSETT, Esq. G. J. HELLAND, Esq.

Nonations of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most Captain A. Overbury, assumes the duties

should be applied for. Hongkong, September 21, 1866.

Wm. T. COLEMAN & Co. HIPPING & COMMISSION

New York. SAN FRANCISCO. 17, Front St. California & Front Sts. Mr WILLIAM GASKELL,

ATTORNEY, SOLICITOR, PROCTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC. REMOVED to No. 2, OLUB CHAMBERS D' Aquilar Street Opposite Messra Douglas LAPRAIR & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1866.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

1 HIS Medicine is universally admitted to be the most efficacious remedy known to the world. No preparation is so Subscriptions for Hongkong and the suitable to the climates of India and China half Year, \$17 per Annum, payable in is particularly adapted to the constitution its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, Subscribers wishing numbers to complete | while those who are attenuated by the de-Volumes 1 and 2 should apply early, as bilitating effects of the above climates will find in this wonderful remedy a kind of ta-17ja lisman whereby they may insure a restora-

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT The science of Medicine has never before produced any remedy that can be compared to this wonderful Cintment, as it cures door to Messrs Savie & Co.), and Stanley after all other means have failed, all Street. wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most mates of India and China. It is the true friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as certain old sores can be removed by it that Billiard TABLES in good order and repair, sers.

Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

T the request of the Undersigned, Messis GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the followng Insurance Companies:— Phoenix Assurance Company,

Liverpool and London and Globe Insur-London and Provincial Marine Insurance

Universal Marine Insurance Companyd SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

Hongkong, July 2, 1867. HONGKONG & CHINA GAS CO.,

OTICE is hereby given that the Dividend N at the rate of 5 per cent declared in accordance with a resolution passed at the drinks supplied, having brought out a choice Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held at the Head Office, London, on the 5th | England. September last, will be payable at the office of the Company, West Point, on and after the 30th November instant.

Manager. Bongkong, November 26, 1867. 26fe

NOTICE. HE Undersigned beg to inform Masters of vessels bound to this port, that they have always a large Stock of CAN VAS, EUROPEAN ROPE, TWINE, and other Shinchandlers' Stores, as well as Salf Provisions continually on hand, which they are able to dispose of, at as reasonable rates as they can be purchased at in any of the

KARUTH HENISZEN & Co. Manila, June 22, 1866. NOTICE. ENDERS are invited for the Supply of STEAM COAL deliverable to the Cus-

Full particulars can be obtained on application to this Office. JAMES BROWN, Deputy Commer, in Charge, Office of Maritime Customs, Canton, 27th December, 1867.

LEX. BOYER having engaged the Services of Miller MARIE, lately with Messis H. MARSH & Co. is prepared to execute any orders for DRESS MAKING. Hongkong, Outober 14, 1867.

I T is hereby notified that the portion of Robinson Road which lies between One half the Stakes to be deposited at Castle Road and Bonham Road is CLOSED By order,

Murreyor General. Surveyor General's Office. Hongkoug, December 17, 1867.

intimations.

NOTICE DENTS and DEUTS Collected. DISTRAINT WARRANTS for RENTS

T. W. B., 63, Wyndbam Street. Hougkong, December 16, 1867. 16ja THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT CO. LIMITED.

SECURITY GIVEN.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 16th day of January next, at Three, o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts. By order of the Board of Directors. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

General Agents. Hongkong, December 20, 1867. THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE. HE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st day to the 16th day of January next inclu-By order of the Board of Directors.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, December 20, 1867. HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

N and after December 20th, 1867, RATES of FREIGHT on Raw and Manufactured Cottons and Sundry Cargo by the Company's Steamers between Hongkong and Canton will be materially REDUCED. For full particulars, see published Tariff. Naval and Military men in uniform will be charged one half the usual rates charged European passengers for the passage. By order of the Board of Directors.

AUGUSTINE BEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, December 6, 1867.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Boat until further notice. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, September 16, 1867.

"STAG HOTEL."

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROA DERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su perior Hotel Accommodation will find I it at the above Establishment. EDMUND R. HOLMES, Proprietor.

Hongkong, July 22, 1867. Billiards! Billiards! Billiards!

COMMERCIAL BILLIARD ROOMS. ENTRANCES :- Queen's Road, (next

inveterate skin discases peculiar to the cli- Iced Fancy Drinks of all descriptions Four First class English and American

> F. S. will also be glad to repair, re-cover. level, and thoroughly overliaul BILLI (RD) TABLES, at a reasonable rate, for any Gentleman who may require his services. Commercial Billiard Rooms, Hongkong, July 30, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS.

A/HO would attend a GYMNASIUM when half-an-hour at the above exercise is sufficient for the day's constitutional, combining the necessary exertion of manual labour with the interest attached to Game of skill.

A Soda FOUNTAIN with the latest Cor! dial Drinks (for teetotallers) continually in play. While the Undersigned will be a guarantee for the quality of the stronger assortment of WINES and SPIRITS from

EDWARD PARKER Lote Albion. Hongkong, May 20, 1867. SECOND TO NO ARTIST IN THE

M/M. P. MOORE.  ${f HAIR\ DRESSER}$ On the Corner of Queen's Road and Peel Street.

Upstairs. Hair Cutting..... Champooing, ......50 Hongkong, November 27, 1867;

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at this port. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, December 5,1807.

THE Undersigned is ready to receive Tenders for the CONVEYANCE of the undermentioned Stores to Yokohama:-PORTER, 150-Hogslieads, LIME JUICE, 50 boxes. AMMUNITION about 11 Tons. MAGAZINE ACCOMODATION in addition about 5 Tons. ALF. H. PRICE,

Naval & Victa lling Storekeeper. H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, December 18, 1867. VIEW OF HONGKONG. IR. BAPTISTA begs to inform the Residents of Hongkong that he will be prepared to receive orders for COLOURING the Lithographic View of Hongkong issued with the Overland China Muil of 15th Nov

Washed ingulation was A Specimen of the Full Coloured Lithograph can be seen at this Office of Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

Intimations.

HE Undersigned has leisure daily for a 1 few hours to TEACH CHILDREN. Ladies and Gentlemen, of Hongkong to play on the Piano Forta GEORGE PREESENT Care of Mr VOLKMANN, Hollywood Road.

Hongkong, October 12, 1867. TO HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS OHN PATERSON & Co., House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zine Workers, and Gas Fitters,

16, Queen's Road West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West. Hongkong, November 4, 1867. BROWN, JONES & Co.,

UNDERTAKERE.

A ONUMENTS and HEAD STONES Mo ERECTED, in the Best Style. LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice.

Apply to C. M. BROWNE, Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE TOTA COMPANY STATES YOTICE is hereby given that an Agency No lof this Company has been opened in Macao, under the care of Messrs Margesson & Co., and that Captain Carroll has been

appointed Surveyor for the Company at that Port By order of the Court of Directors. JOHN S. MACKINTOSH. de la gui de la compaction de la constanta de

Shanghai, September 28, 1867. METETIC BAEL, the new DIET. highly recommended by the Faculty to those suffering from derangement of the Digestive Organs. ... Can be produced from GEO. GLASSE,

The Victoria Dispensary. Hongkong, December 10, 1867. CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. ARISTMAS and Wedding CAKES U Lemon, Orange, Vanilla, Ratofia do.,

Bonbon and Rimmel's ROSE WATER Presentation Boxes of BONBONS. MINCEMEAT." CAVIARE. Choice new FIGS & Bloom MUSCATELS. THE Steamer "Fire Dart" is withdrawn | Chotolate BONBONS, Carlsbad WAFERS. from the Canton River as a Night Nougat d'ABRICOTS, Assorted Dessert

Grouse in GRAVY, Truffled OHICKENS Truffled ORTOLANS, Potted Severn SAL-Russia OX and Reindeer's TONGUES in

Christmas TREE, and Christmas TREE ORNAMENTS STEREOSCOPES, GRAPHOSCOPES New Operatio Transparent VIEWS. Aeridian CALENDARS, Novel DICE, and ROUGE ET NOIR ANEROIDS, THERMOMETERS, Astro

nomical TELESCOPE, Courier BAGS. Bronze FIGURES, Meerschaum PIPES and Cigar CASES.

Hongkong, December 9, 1867. PROQUET, GAMES, TOYS, &c., &c., in great variety, at MISS GARRETT'S Millinery and Draperv Establishment, Queen's Foud. Hougkong, December 9, 1867.

ASTOR OIL, in cases of twenty Gallons dach, or in quantities to suit Purcha-To be had at

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY

Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

DENTISTRY. TR. H. WINN, a graduate of Done of the oldest Dental Colleges in the United States, begs to amounce to the Public of Bongkong, that he has opened an office here, and shall be happy to see all persons desirous of his services. Dr. Winn has spent over a year and a half in Japan and is desirous of establishing himself here for the Winter mouths, returning to Yokohama during the summer months of each

Office over Mrs. Bonnett's store, up stairs. Entrance Wyndham Street, H. H. WINN, D.D.S. Hongkong, November 18, 1867.

DENTAL NOTICE. A S the Undersigned finds it impossible t leave Hongkong at the time stated. owing to his many pressing Engagements he begs to state that his stay will be prolonged till the middle of December. Persons desiring his DENTAL SERVICES should

address him at once. Dr. J. BURLINGHAM 2. Pedder's Hill. Hongkong, November 25, 1867. WM. DOLAN. SAIL MARER, &c.

Duddell Street,

(Opposite French Consulate.)

Hongkong, April 2, 1866, For Sale. I ENDRIE, PIESSE & LUBIN'S Fine As-11 sortment of PERFUMES.

DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS. For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE Hair Dressing Room, Up stairs Hongkong, December 4, 1867. The Following beautiful and the second

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED

LIARMONIUMS and other Musical

INSTRUMENTS. Christy Minstrel's SONGS. Pianoforte OPERAS. VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c. INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired. C. WAGNER, 28 Hollywood Road. Hongkong, August 2, 1867.

2au-68 FOR SALE WELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to 1 28 oz Superior CLARET, St. PIERRE, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche. SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz RAYNAL & Co.

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Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

For Sale. FOR SALE LIGHT stud-linked CHAIN CABLES L each with Government Proof Certificates, and of the following sizes and lengths: 2 Chains, 110 inch, each 150 fathoms.

For further particulars, apply to Hongkong, December 6, 1867.

FOR SALE. TINE Copenhague BUTTER, in tins of 28 lbs. nett, and by the pound. Prime Californiau CHEESE, ANCHO. VIES.—At., FREERKS, RODATZ & Co. Hongkong, December 24, 1867,

ON SALE, JUST LANDED EX "RED RIDING HOOD."

DASS' BEER in pints and quarts. BAROLAY'S PORTER in pints and qts. bottled by CAMERON & SANDERS. BASS' BEER in kilderkins. Do. do. in bogsheads. BARCLAY'S PORTER in hogsheads. BOOTH'S OLD TOM. Prime YORK HAMS. EDMUND R. HOEMES.

Importer a state and Stag Hotel Stores. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

STEAM COALS For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board. INGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley. L Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's West Hartley. WELSH-Blaengware Marthyr.

Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866. HOCOLAT MENIER in every va

riety and form, at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY Hongkong, December 16, 1867. 16js FOR SALE. TULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE MUMM & Co.'s HOCK & MOSELLE, ots. and pts.

Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY, WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALISOPP'S ALE, draught and bottle. BARCLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT, BRIDGES & SONS' PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, November 20, 1867. FOR SALE. T the West Point Foundry & Machine SHOP, SHEET COPPER, 30 by 60. STEAM and VACUUM GAUGES, GAUGE GLASSES, all sizes. SALINOMETERS.

BAR and ANGLE IRON of sizes. LOWMOOR and THORNYCROFT BOILER IRON PLATES. One Pair of CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS. suitable for Dock purposes. ILLINGWORTH & Co.

Hongkong, November 6, 1867. CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. Cases first quality Cavita OIGARS and CHEROOTS. For sale by EDW +RD J. SAGE. Hongkong, December 27, 1867. 10ja

FOR SALE. NHE Property known as ALMACK PLACE having a Frontage of Eighty-three feet on Wellington and Gage Streets, and of Two Hundred and Twenty-nine feet on ABER-DEEN STREET, comprising a superficial area of about 19,000 Square feet. Annual Ground Ront, £42.12.6. For further particulars, apply to.

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

FOR SALE. SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT, WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto. Fine Dry MADEIRA Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867.

Hongkong, February 24, 1864.

FOR SALE. JELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Municipal and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co Hongkong, April 5, 1866.

FOR SALE.

A HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and L. Jauvray & Co.'s Association Vissi-CLARET, real Château Margaux. Haut Bages. L Espaire Duroc. BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martel's in 1 dozen cases BEER and PORTER in bottle.

A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Kellow. METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ' Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and

SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

BUTTER (Platts) in kegs.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867. FOR SALE 100 Barrels PRIME PORK and 100 LUU barrels MESS BEEF.

Hongkong, December 1, 1867. FOR SALE THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messra SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867. TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 3

Printed & published by CHARLES ABRAHAM SAINT, Proprietor, at No. 3, Wyndham Street, Victoria, Hongkong.

Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

BÍRLEY & Co.

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nio Majesty's Consulate at

W. O. KARTON S. Co.

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